

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY-PARISH COUNCIL MEETING OF THE CITY-PARISH OF LAFAYETTE, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN AT A REGULAR MEETING OF JUNE 22, 2004.

ATTENDANCE

COUNCIL: Randy Menard (Chair - District 9), Rob Stevenson (Vice Chair - District 8), Bobby Badeaux (District 1), Dale Bourgeois (District 2), Christopher J. Williams, Ph.D. (District 3), Louis C. Benjamin, Jr. (District 4), Lenwood Broussard (District 5), Bruce Conque (District 6), Marc Mouton (District 7)

ABSENT: None

COUNCIL STAFF: Norma Dugas (Clerk of the Council), Veronica Williams (Assistant Clerk), Monica Fontenot (Administrative Assistant)

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF: L.J. Durel, Jr. (City-Parish President), Dee Stanley (CAO), Pat Ottinger (City-Parish Attorney), Gail Smith (Director of Administrative Services), Interim Chief Randy Hundley (Police Department), Eleanor Bouy (Director of Planning, Zoning & Codes), Chief Robert Benoit (Fire Department), Melanie Lewis (Director of Community Development), Tony Tramel (Director of Traffic & Transportation)

COMMENCEMENT

AGENDA ITEM NO. 1: Call to order.

Chair Randy Menard called the Regular Council Meeting of June 22, 2004 to order.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 2: Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance.

Councilmember Marc Mouton was called upon to deliver the invocation and lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 3: **EXECUTIVE/PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

ORDINANCES FOR FINAL ADOPTION - ZONING

AGENDA ITEM NO. 4: O-124-2004 An ordinance of the Lafayette City-Parish Council amending the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance, Case No. Z2004-009 (TC) "Living Fence" text change, so as to allow planted hedges in lieu of sight-proof fences in certain situations. A motion to approve by Williams, seconded by Stevenson, and the vote was as follows:

YEAS: Bourgeois, Conque, Mouton, Stevenson

NAYS: Badeaux, Williams, Benjamin, Broussard, Menard

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

Motion was defeated.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 5: O-125-2004 An ordinance of the Lafayette City-Parish Council amending the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance, so as to reclassify property owned by Mark Haseltine et al, Case No. Z2004-006 Mark Haseltine property rezoning, located generally east and west of Louisiana Avenue, west of Shadow Bluff Drive, and south of I-10, from R-1-C (single and two-family residential) to B-T (transitional business). A motion to approve by Conque, seconded by Stevenson, and the vote was as follows:

YEAS: Badeaux, Bourgeois, Conque, Mouton, Stevenson, Menard

NAYS: Williams, Benjamin, Broussard

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

Motion was approved.

APPEALS

AGENDA ITEM NO. 6: Consider an appeal of the Planning Commission's action concerning Grande Pointe Subdivision.

A motion was offered by Stevenson, seconded by Badeaux to grant the appeal and the vote was as follows:

YEAS: Badeaux, Bourgeois, Broussard, Conque, Mouton, Stevenson, Menard

NAYS: Williams, Benjamin

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

Motion was approved.

REPORTS AND/OR DISCUSSION ITEMS

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7a: Recognize Sarah Begnaud regarding truck traffic & unlicensed businesses

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7b: Discuss maintenance of railroad property between Lafayette and Carencro

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7c: Discuss Buchanan Street sidewalks

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7d: Discuss Budget Hearing process

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7e: Discuss possible fence violations/salvage yards

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7f: Recognize Jimmy Lebouef regarding zoning issues

The following person was recognized:

Greg Pickett

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

AGENDA ITEM NO. 8: Comments from the public on other matters.

The following persons signed a blue sheet but chose not to speak:

Harold Hoyt

Jody Roger

Jaywood Domingue

Harold Arceneaux

Elaine Morton

Chris Campbell

Scottie Malveaux

The following persons were recognized:

Mary Ann Ficaro

Daly Dupre'

Gayle Landry – requested additional time and the vote was as follows:

YEAS: Badeaux, Bourgeois, Williams, Mouton, Menard

NAYS: Benjamin, Conque

ABSENT: Broussard, Stevenson

ABSTAIN: None

Motion for additional time was defeated as 6 votes are required..

Lonny Melancon

Terry Rodrigue

C. Bodensteiner

A. J. Alwert

Lena Charles

Andy Hebert - requested additional time and the vote was as follows:

YEAS: Bourgeois, Williams, Benjamin

NAYS: Badeaux, Conque, Mouton, Menard

ABSENT: Broussard, Stevenson

ABSTAIN: None

Motion for additional time was defeated as 6 votes are required..

Shelby Williams

George Bentley, Jr.

Roland Ledet

ADJOURN

There being no further business to come before the Council, Chair Menard declared the meeting adjourned.

/s/Norma A. Dugas

Clerk of the Council